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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR PATENT

INVENTOR: Harald FABER et al.	DOCKET NO.: 4959
APPLICATION NO.: 10/586,297	CONFIRM. NO.: 4116
FILING DATE: July 13, 2006	ART UNIT: 4137
TITLE OF INVENTION: Cellular Wheel Sluice	EXAMINER: J. K. WOOD

MS AMENDMENT
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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July 8, 2009

RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION OF JANUARY 8, 2009, INCLUDING AN
ATTACHED COVER SHEET WITH CERTIFICATE OF TELEFAX TRANSMISSION

Honorable Commissioner:

The period for reply has been extended with the enclosed
THREE MONTH Term Extension Request.

Please amend the above identified application as follows.

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